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> Daniel B. Ruble Registration No. 40,794

DATE: February 8, 2006

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Ramesh et al

Examiner:

V. Chang

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Sound Dampening Foam

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

<u>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</u>

Applicant respectfully requests a two month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (a) within which to respond to the Office Action mailed September 8, 2005. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed with this document.

Please charge the extension fee of \$450 to Deposit Account No. 07-1765. The undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge to Deposit Account No. 07-1765 any additional fees which are deemed to be required, and/or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1765.

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Respectfully submitted,

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